

**Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Health  
Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary  
Notice of Joint Public Hearing**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20004

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**COUNCILMEMBER DAVID A. CATANIA, CHAIR  
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

**&**

**COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIR  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND THE JUDICIARY**

**Announce a Joint Public Hearing**

**On**

**B18-622: Legalization of Marijuana for Medical Treatment Initiative Amendment Act of  
2010**

**On**

**Thursday, February 11, 2010  
10:00 a.m.**

**Council Chamber  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember David A. Catania, Chair of the Committee on Health, and Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chair of the Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary, announce a Joint Public Hearing on B18-622, the "Legalization of Marijuana for Medical Treatment Initiative Amendment Act of 2010". The hearing will be held on Thursday, February 11, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 500 of the John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The purpose of the bill is to amend the Legalization of Marijuana for Medical Treatment Initiative of 1998 to define key terms; to limit the use of marijuana for medicinal purposes to qualifying patients; to require written recommendation from one's primary physician as a condition for the medicinal use of marijuana; to clarify who may lawfully manufacture, possess, distribute, or use marijuana; to clarify how a primary caregiver may be designated; to limit the distribution of marijuana for medicinal purposes to registered dispensaries; to require the parent or guardian of a minor that is using marijuana for medicinal purposes to control the minor's use;

and to require the Mayor to issue rules to regulate the manufacture, possession, distribution, and use of marijuana for medicinal purposes.

Testimony may be limited to 3 minutes per witness and 5 minutes for a panel of witnesses. Those wishing to testify should contact Ms. Jennifer Barry of the Committee on Health via email at [jbarry@dccouncil.us](mailto:jbarry@dccouncil.us) or phone at (202) 724-8170 and shall provide their names, contact information, and organizational affiliation, if any, by 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 9, 2010. Witnesses shall bring 15 copies of their statement to the hearing.

Members of the public may submit written testimony which will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 5, Washington, DC 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m. on February 18, 2010.

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Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary  
Notice of Public Hearing**

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**COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIRPERSON  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY AND THE JUDICIARY ANNOUNCES A  
PUBLIC HEARING**

on

**PR 18-631, Director of the Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency  
Millicent D. Williams Confirmation Resolution of 2010**

on

**Thursday, February 18, 2010  
10:00 a.m. Hearing Room 120, John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Safety and the Judiciary, announces a public hearing on PR 18-631, Director of the Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency Millicent D. Williams Confirmation Resolution of 2010. The public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 18, 2010 in Hearing Room 120 of the John A. Wilson Building.

The stated purpose of PR 18-631 is to confirm the Mayoral appointment of Millicent D. Williams as the Director of the Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency.

Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Lisa Abrams, Legislative Counsel or Ms. Deborah Kelly, Legislative Clerk, at (202) 724-7808, by fax at (202) 724-6664, or via e-mail at [Dkelly@dccouncil.us](mailto:Dkelly@dccouncil.us), and provide their name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by close of business February 16, 2010. Persons wishing to testify are encouraged, but not required, to submit 15 copies of written testimony. If submitted by the close of business on, February 16, 2010 the testimony will be distributed to Councilmembers before the hearing. Witnesses should limit their testimony to five minutes; less time will be allowed if there are a large number of witnesses.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to Ms. Kelly, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 22, 2010.

# **Council of the District of Columbia Committee of the Whole Notice of Public Oversight Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004

**CHAIRMAN VINCENT C. GRAY  
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING  
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**YOUTH ISSUES**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2010, 10:00 A.M.  
JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING, ROOM 500  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Vincent C. Gray announces the monthly public oversight hearing by the Committee of the Whole on Youth Issues. This hearing will occur on Saturday, February 13, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber Room (500) of the John A. Wilson Building, which is located at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The purpose of the public oversight hearing is to hear testimony from District of Columbia youth regarding issues that impact their lives.

Youth, aged 21 and younger, who wish to testify at this month's hearing should contact the Council's Office of Youth Programs at (202) 724-8176 to register or by email at [youthprograms@dccouncil.us](mailto:youthprograms@dccouncil.us). Witnesses may also register online by visiting [www.dccouncil.us/youthhearings](http://www.dccouncil.us/youthhearings). Witnesses must be registered by the close of business on Thursday, February 11, 2010. When registering to testify, persons should leave their name, telephone number, email and mailing addresses, and organization they are representing, if any. Each person presenting oral testimony may be limited to THREE (3) minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard. Witnesses testifying at the public hearing are requested to provide 20 copies of their written testimony at the hearing or submit one copy of their written testimony by February 11, 2010.

Written testimonies are strongly encouraged and will be made a part of the Council's official record. Witnesses interested in submitting written testimony are requested either to provide 20 copies of their testimony on the day of this hearing or submit one copy by February 11, 2010. Written testimony should be submitted to the Council's Office of Youth Programs, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite C-07, Washington, D.C. 20004, or emailed to [youthprograms@dccouncil.us](mailto:youthprograms@dccouncil.us).

Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Human Services

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Room 117, Washington, D.C. 20004

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**THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES  
TOMMY WELLS, CHAIR**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE ON**

**"YES YOUTH CAN: CONFRONTING THE CHALLENGES OF AGING OUT"**

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2010 - 11:00 AM**

**THE JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.  
HEARING ROOM 412  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Tommy Wells, Chair of the Committee on Human Services, announces a Public Oversight Roundtable on "Yes Youth Can: Confronting the Challenges of Aging Out." The roundtable will be held on Friday, January 22, 2010, at 11:00 a.m. in the Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

This roundtable will provide an opportunity for the Committee to examine the experiences and challenges of older youth in foster care, the effectiveness of programs and services for this population, and ways to improve their life prospects and ensure a successful transition to adulthood. The roundtable will focus on three main areas: aging out, education, employment, and residential care.

Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Vivian McCarter of the Committee on Human Services by e-mail at [vmccarter@dccouncil.us](mailto:vmccarter@dccouncil.us) or by telephone at (202) 724-8191 by January 20, 2010. E-mail contacts to Ms. McCarter should include the full name, title, and affiliation -- if applicable -- of the person(s) testifying. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the roundtable. Representatives of organizations and individuals will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation. Additionally, if you plan to testify and require reasonable accommodations, please contact Ms. McCarter so arrangements can be made by no later than January 20, 2010.

If you are unable to testify at the roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Committee on Human Services, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 117, Washington, D.C. 20004, by no later than January 29, 2010, 5:00 p.m.

# **Council of the District of Columbia**

## **Notice of Joint Public Oversight Roundtable**

John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W. Washington, DC 20004

**Abbreviated**

**CHAIRPERSONS KWAME R. BROWN, MARY M. CHEH,  
HARRY THOMAS, JR., AND MARION BARRY  
RECONVENE  
A JOINT PUBLIC OVERSIGHT  
ROUNDTABLE ON**

**THE CONTRACTING PROCESS RELATED TO  
PARKS AND RECREATION PROJECTS**

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2010, AT 1:00 P.M.,  
IN COUNCIL CHAMBER 500  
JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE N.W.  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

Councilmembers Kwame R. Brown, Mary M. Cheh, Harry Thomas, Jr., and Marion Barry reconvene a public oversight roundtable by the Committee on Economic Development, the Committee on Government Operations & the Environment, the Committee on Libraries, Parks, and Recreation, and the Committee on Housing and Workforce Development about The Contracting Process Related to Parks and Recreation Projects on Wednesday, January 27, 2010, at 1:00 p.m., in Council Chamber 500, of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

Agency witnesses should sign up to testify with Antonio Brentini of the Committee on Economic Development via email at [sbrentini@dccouncil.us](mailto:sbrentini@dccouncil.us), or by phone at (202) 727-6683, by Tuesday, January 26, 2010. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.

Public witnesses will not be called to testify for this hearing, however, witnesses may submit written testimony, which will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 5, Washington, DC 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m., Thursday, January 28, 2010.

**This notice is abbreviated to ensure timely notice to the public.**

Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Public Works and Transportation  
Notice of Public Roundtable

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**COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIRPERSON  
PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION  
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE ON**

**PR 18-589, the "District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of  
Directors Alethia Nancoo Confirmation Resolution of 2009".**

**Monday, January 25, 2010, 2:00 p.m.  
Council Chamber, John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, will convene a public roundtable on Monday, January 25, 2010, at 2:00 p.m., on PR 18-0589, the "District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors Alethia Nancoo Confirmation Resolution of 2009".

PR 18-589 would confirm the appointment of Alethia Nancoo as a principal member of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors, replacing Keith Stone, whose term expired September 12, 2008, for a term to end September 12, 2012.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. April Hawkins-Mason at (202) 724-8195, or at [ahawkinsmason@dccouncil.us](mailto:ahawkinsmason@dccouncil.us), before 5 p.m. on Thursday, January 21, 2010. Witnesses should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the hearing. Individuals will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation; individuals representing organizations or groups, 5 minutes.

If you are unable to testify at the public roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. April Hawkins-Mason, Committee on Public Works and Transportation, Room 116, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20004, by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, January 25, 2010.